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- 25X1X 1. At about 1 p.m. [redacted] Polish minesweepers [redacted] were 25X1
sighted about 2 sea miles from the entrance to Gdynia harbor north of the
prescribed channel between Hel and Gdynia. They proceeded in line abreast at an
interval of about 50 meters and had their sweeps out. A Soviet and a Polish steamer
were about 1 sea mile outside the swept channel.
2. Clearing formalities in Gdynia harbor were performed as previously except that,
before leaving port, holds and other spaces were searched more thoroughly. Ships
taking cargo also were guarded more closely. They were guarded on the off-side
by sentries armed with submachine guns, who were on KP boats. Hanging over the
side of ladders, scaffolds or rope ends was forbidden. Each shore crane was
guarded by a sentry. Informant learned from the stevedore that all sentries had
recently been posted after a woman with children had been set aboard a ship with
a grab serviced by a crane operator.

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